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Dear Doctor Gray

Will you pardon an oversight which prevented my writing more promptly to thank you for your kindness in sending the note which I enclose? I had got a letter from Prof Stokes, but am none the less obliged by your kindness.

Nothing seems settled about the Smithsonian matter but I am asked by Prof Baird to be in Washington tomorrow for a personal conference.

Cordially Yours

S. P. Langley

P.S.

You are of course aware that the Centre-Sunspot about the degree is to be rectified, by treating it as conferred.